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In re application of

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For: ARMATURE FOR A DYNAMO-ELECTRIC MACHINE HAVING OFFSETTING AND OVERLAPPING COILS (as Amended)

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further to Applicant's Preliminary Amendment filed on November 14, 2001, please further amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims:

1. (Amended) An armature for a dynamo-electric machine comprising:
- a shaft;
 - a core, secured to said shaft, having a plurality of slots extending in an axial direction formed on an outer circumferential surface of said core;
 - a coil comprising a plurality of coil portions formed by simultaneously winding wires a plurality of turns around a pair of said slots separated by a predetermined number of said slots and offsetting each of said coil portions in the circumferential direction of said core, wherein at least one pair of adjacent coil portions share a common one of said slots;